Example. We consider a (3×3) -system with the coefficient matrix

$$B(z) = \frac{M_1}{z^3} + \frac{M_4}{z} + \frac{M_2}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{M_5}{z-1} + \frac{M_3}{(z+1)^2} + \frac{M_6}{z+1},$$

where the matrices M_i are given by

$$M_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & -4 & -4 \\ 17 & 14 & 13 \\ -10 & -8 & -7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad M_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -6 & -5 & -5 \\ 23 & 17 & 15 \\ -14 & -9 & -7 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$M_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -11 & -7 & -6 \\ 8 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$M_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 2a-c & a-c & a-c \\ -3-6a+5c & -2-3a+5c & -2-3a+5c \\ 3+4a-3c & 2+2a-3c & 2+2a-3c \end{pmatrix},$$

$$M_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ b+2 & -b+1 & -2b+1 \\ -b-2 & b-1 & 2b-1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$M_6 = \begin{pmatrix} -2a+c & -a+c & -a+c \\ -b+6a+1-5c & b+3a+1-5c & 2b+3a+1-5c \\ b-4a-1+3c & -b-2a-1+3c & -2b-2a-1+3c \end{pmatrix}$$

and a, b and c are parameters. The point $z = \infty$ is non-singular, since $M_4 + M_5 + M_6 = 0$.

Our implementation checks that all the three singularities are non-resonant and gives the formal exponents for each of them.

> read "/Users/barkatou/Desktop/Spliting/split":

We apply the Splitting lemma at z = 0 up to k = 2.

> splitlemma(B, z=0, 2, T);

We get the equivalent matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{z^3} + \frac{a}{z} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{z^3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{z^3} + \frac{c}{z} \end{bmatrix} + \text{ regular part.}$$

The formal exponents at z = 0 are then 0, a, and c.

We apply now the Splitting lemma at z = 1 up to k = 1.

> splitlemma(B, z=1, 1, T);

We get the equivalent matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{(z-1)^2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{b}{z-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{3}{(z-1)^2} \end{bmatrix} + \text{ regular part.}$$

The formal exponents at z = 1 are then 0,0, and b.

Finally, we apply the Splitting lemma at z = -1 up to k = 1.

> splitlemma(B, z=-1, 1, T);

We get the equivalent matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{a}{z+1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{2}{(z+1)^2} - \frac{c}{z+1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{(z+1)^2} - \frac{b}{z+1} \end{bmatrix} + \text{ regular part.}$$

The formal exponents at z = -1 are then -a, -c, and -b.

Now let us check in which case the matrices M_i , i = 1, ..., 6, are simultaneously triangularizable. For this, we can first use the *LieAlgebras* package of Maple.

- 1. First one computes the Lie algebra L generated by the set $S = \{M_1, \dots, M_6\}.$
- 2. Then one can use the *Query* function with the argument "Solvable" to check the solvability of L.

 $\begin{bmatrix} 2a-c & a-c & a-c \\ -3-6a+5c & -2-3a+5c & -2-3a+5c \\ 3+4a-3c & 2+2a-3c & 2+2a-3c \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ b+2 & -b+1 & -2b+1 \\ -b-2 & b-1 & 2b-1 \end{bmatrix}]$

This tells us that the Lie algebra L is sovable (apparently for all a,b,c) but it does not give a transformation P that simultaneously triangularizes the matrices M_i . Such a transformation can be directly obtained using a recent implementation by M. Barkatou and T. Cluzeau (the work in progress).

- > read "/Users/barkatou/Desktop/Simul-Triang/SimultTriang.mpl":
- > P := SimultaneousTriangularization([seq(M[i], i = 1 .. 6)]);

$$P := \left[egin{array}{cccc} 0 & -1 & 1 \ 1 & 1 & 0 \ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{array}
ight]$$

One can check that indeed the matrices $P^{-1}M_iP$ are triangular:

$$> seq(1/P . M[i] . P, i = 1 .. 6);$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 10 \\ 0 & -1 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1+2a & -3-4a+3c \\ 0 & a & -2a+2c \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} b & -2b-1 & b+2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -b & 2b-2a & -b+4a+1-3c \\ 0 & -a & 2a-2c \\ 0 & 0 & -c \end{bmatrix}$$

In conclusion, the system in this example is solvable in the Liouvillian sense without any restriction on the parameters a, b, c.

On the other hand, the matrices M_i , $i=1,\ldots,6$, are never simultaneously diagonalizable since, for example, M_1 , M_2 do not commute:

$$[M_1, M_2] = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 14 & 10 & 10 \\ -13 & -9 & -9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Hence, due to Theorem 2 we can assert that the system is not solvable by exponentials of integrals and algebraic functions whenever $|\text{Re }\lambda| < 1/6$, for $\lambda \in \{a,b,c\}$.